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...S HEREBY GIVEN, That a certain ... is now pending in the ... Circuit Court of Macon county, State of Illinois, on the chancery ... court, wherein Melissa Strickland ... Sizeland are complainants, and ... Gorin, Mary Conklin, Charles ... Phebe Herrell, Uriah Herrell, ... Erasmus Dewees, William ... Dewees, Dennis Dewees ... Dewees are defendants, and that ... has been issued in said cause, ... at the Court House in Decatur, ... ty of Macon, State of Illinois, on

... day of December, A. D. 1875, ... unless you, the said defendants, ... you, then and there, appear, answer or demur to said complaint, bill, the same and the allegations ... will be taken as confessed, and ... decreed according to the prayer of ... E. McCLELLAN, Clerk. ... ndts., Solicitors. ... Oct. 26, 1875—d4t

...ANCERY NOTICE.

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... day of December, A. D. 1875, ... EDMISTON McCLELLAN, ... Circuit Court of Macon county, Ill. ... EWING, Solicitors for Compl't. ... Ill., Oct. 25, 1875—d4w

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GOING EAST.

Passenger .... 3:16 p m
Freight and Accommodation........ 7:00 a m

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Freight and Accommodation........ 5 00 p m

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Illinois Central R. R

Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.

Passenger........ 1 35 A M Sundays excepted
Stock Express....11 00 A M " "
Freight.............. 3 25 P M " "
" & accom .. 5 20 P M " "

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger .... 5 20 P M Sundays excepted
Accommodation.11 00 A M " "
Freight .... 7 50 A M " "
Freight .... 3 10 P M " "

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GOING WEST:

No. 1 Through Express.................. 3 10 a. m
" 3 Fast Express........................ 10 15 a. m
" 5 Accommodation .... 1 20 p. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express............... 11 20 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " .... 12 20 p. m
" 6 New York Fast Line .... 7 50 p. m

☞ The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going east .... 9 15 a. m. ... 8 50 p. m
Going west .... 2.35 p. m. ... 9.50 p. m

PEORIA DIVISION:
DEPART:

No. 71 Express .... 7 50 a. m
" 71 Mail.. 1 50 p. m

ARRIVE:

No. 72 Express.............................. 11 10 p. m
" 74 Mail .... 9 50 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:
DEPART:

No. 41 Through Express................ 3 15 a. m
" 43 Fast Express........................ 10 05 a. m
" 45 Accommodation .... 5 15 a. m

ARRIVE:

No. 42 Lightning Express............. 11 15 p. m
" 44 Atlantic " .... 11 55 a. m
" 46 Accommodation................. 9 20 p. m

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Ar Monticello..			4 10 "
" Champaign			5 50 "
" Chicago......			7 30 a m
Lv Champaign..	6 45 a m	11 00 a m	11 55 p m
Ar Danville.. ...	8 35 a m	12 23 p m	1 50 a m
T., W. & W. R R			
Lv Decatur......	6 05 a m		11 30 p m
" Tolono........	7 21 a m		12 13 a m
Ar Danville	8 30 a m		1 58 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville.......	8 40 a m	12 42 p m	2 05 a m
Ar Indianapolis	12 40 p m	4 40 p m	6 15 a m
" Cincinnati.....	6 00 p m	9 20 p m	12 15 p m
" Dayton.........		9 25 p m	9 46 p m
" Columbus......		11 30 p m	5 55 p m
" Zanesville......		2 32 a m	
" Wheeling......		6 35 a m	
" Washington	5 00 p m	8 17 p m	5 00 p m
" Baltimore......	6 00 p m	6 35 p m	6 15 p m
" Pittsburg......		6 45 a m	9 08 a m
Harrisburg		2 55 p m	11 35 a m
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" New York......		9 15 p m	6 15 p m
" Crestline......		4 20 a m	
" Cleveland......		7 10 a m	
" Buffalo........		1 10 p m	
" Boston		10 00 a m	
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For Terre Haute, on Ill. M. R. R...... 9:45 A. M.
" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W.......................................11:20 A. M.
" Peoria, on Ill. M. R. R..................11:20 A. M.
" East and Chicago, on T. W. & W., 1:00 P. M.
" East, on Ind. & Ill. Cent.............. 1:00 P. M.
" Pekin & Peoria, on T., W. & W., 1:00 P. M.
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W... 1:00 P. M
" South, on Ill. Cent.......................... 4:45 "
" Chicago, St. Louis & Lafayette,.. 7:30 "
" North & East of Lafayette........... 7:30 "
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From South, St. Louis and East...... 5:30 A. M.
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" Peoria, via I. M. R. R....................11:30 "
" East, on I. & I. C..........................12:00 M.
" East & Pekin, on T. W. & W., 12:00 P. M.
" Terre Haute, on I. M. R. R., 12:00 "
" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W... 1:45 "
" North, on Illinois Central... 5:30 "

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.

MY NEIGHBOR'S BABY.

Across in my neighbor's window,
With its drapings of satin and lace,
I see, 'neath its flowing ringlets,
A baby's innocent face.
His feet in crimson slippers,
Are tapping the polished glass,
And the crowd in the streets look upward
And nod and smile as they pass.

Just here in my cottage window,
Catching flies in the sun,
With a patched and faded apron,
Stands my own little one.
His face is as pure and handsome
As the baby's over the way,
And he keeps my heart from breaking,
At my toiling every day.

Sometimes when the day is ended,
And I sit in the dusk to rest,
With the face of my sleeping darling
Hugged close to my lonely breast,
I pray that my neighbor's baby
May not catch heaven's roses all,
But that some may crown the forehead
Of my loved one as they fall.

And when I draw the stockings
From his little weary feet,
And kiss the rosy dimples
In his limbs so round and sweet,
I think of the dainty garments
Some little children wear,
And that my God withholds them
From mine so pure and fair.

* * * * *

May God forgive my envy—
I know not what I said;
My heart is crushed and troubled,
My neighbor's boy is dead!
I saw the little coffin
As they carried it out to-day—
A mother's heart is breaking
In the mansion over the way.

The light is fair in my window,
The flowers bloom at my door;
My boy is chasing the sunbeams
That dance on the cottage floor.
The roses of health are blooming
On my darling's cheek to-day,
But the baby is gone from the window
Of the mansion over the way.

A SWINDLE, OF COURSE.

Notwithstanding the fact that every lottery or gift concert scheme results in fraud, lotteries still reign supreme in the United States. They rise up in a day, take in thousands of dollars of the hard earned money of the people, a drawing is held, and the result is—a swindle. The result is the same whether the lottery be in aid of a public library, backed up by the leading men of a State, or for some asylum. Some long-headed rascal steps in and reaps the benefit, and the purchasers of tickets are swindled.

It would seem as though people who are anxious to bite at the tempting baits offer d and to get rich in a day would learn in the course of years, but they do not appear to.

The last lottery dodge is the Female Humane Association lottery of Alexandria. It was advertised all over the country and thousands of tickets were sold. It was ascertained that the arrangement of the drawing had been intrusted solely to parties from New York, who made it their business to be engaged in all these schemes, and that all the money obtained from the sale of tickets, except some $6,000 or $8,000, had been left in New York, and was not subject to a draft of the officers of the association. The parties present appointed a committee to proceed at once to New York and endeavor to recover such of the money as could be obtained. It is believed that not a single dollar was drawn by any *bona fide* ticket holder, but that the whole of it has been retained by New York sharpers. About half a million dollars' worth of tickets were in this lottery. Now for the next scheme and the next grand swindle.

A KENTUCKY paper tells a story of a backwoodsman who, a few days ago, saw a carpet, for the first time, at Bowling Green, in that State. He was somewhat confused at first, thinking it was some kind of an ornament, probably an oil painting; but perceiving a bare place at the further end of the room, he stepped back a few paces, and, with a running jump, struck the floor about six inches from the edge of the carpet. When his heels struck the floor, he slipped and fell back, but quickly arose, and after looking with complacency at the distance he had leaped, exclaimed: "By gosh, I cleared her."

A St. Louis doctor wrote a prescription for a lady who was slightly ill, calling for "a syphon of carbonic acid," meaning a large syphon bottle of soda water. The intelligent druggist construed "carbonic acid," and took "syphon" to be the Latin for 'two ounces,' and, acting on his conviction, burned a hole in the patient's stomach.

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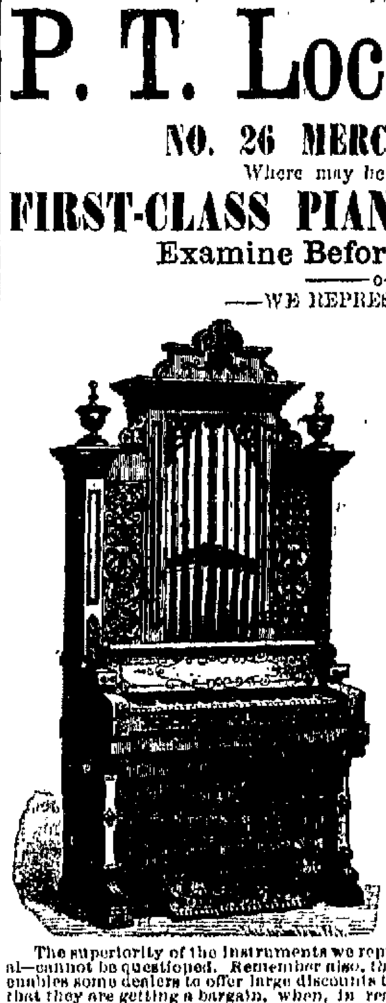

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO RUFUS E. Holmes, that Benjamin Z. Taylor, complainant, has filed his bill of complaint, in chancery, against him, the said Rufus E. Holmes, impleaded with James M. Taylor, *Barbara J. Taylor (his wife)*, Ann King, Thomas M. Taylor, Theola D. Taylor (his wife), William O. Taylor, Laura L. Taylor, (his wife), Amanda Jennie Taylor, Edmiston McClellan, her guardian, Joseph B. Bosworth and Henry C. Wilson, defendants, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, and that summons has been issued thereon, returnable into said court, where said cause is now pending, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the city of Decatur, said county and State, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1875,

when and where, unless he, the said Rufus E. Holmes, shall appear and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed against him.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN,
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ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 18, 1873-dwtf.

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ODOR & ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEYS at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store. [July 3, 1874-d1y

EDWIN PARK,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, and Notary Public. Office: Over Millikin's Bank. [june19,'74-tf.

C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office:—Over the Post Office, Decatur, Ill. Dec. 13, 1870-dawtf.

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

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March 17 1870-yl

CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to George E. Wood that Ettie Wood has filed her bill of complaint in chancery in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against him as defendant; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendant, returnable into said court at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the FIRST MONDAY IN DECEMBER NEXT, when and where, unless said George E. Wood shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken for confessed against him.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill.
NELSON & ROBY, Solicitors for Compl't.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 18, A. D. 1875. [18-d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to Marilla D. Hazen and Alonzo P. Hazen, that Reuben H. Meriwether has filed his bill of complaint in chancery, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against them as defendants; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendants, returnable into said court, at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday in December next,

when and where, unless said Marilla D. Hazen and Alonzo P. Hazen shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken as confessed against them. E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill.
Decatur, Oct. 25, 1875—d4w

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Monday Evening, Nov. 8.

THANKSGIVING.

Proclamation by the President of the United States.

In accordance with a practice, at once wise and beautiful, we have been accustomed, as the year is drawing to a close, to devote an occasion to an humble *expression of thanks to Almighty God* for ceaseless and distinguished benefits bestowed upon us as a nation, and for His mercies and protection during the closing year. Amid the rich and free enjoyment of all our advantages, we should not forget the source from whence they are derived, and extend our obligation to the Father of All Mercies. We have full reason to renew our thanks to Almighty God for favors bestowed upon us during the past year. By His continuing mercy, civil and religious liberty have been maintained; peace has reigned within our borders; labor and enterprise have produced their merited rewards, and to His watchful providence we are indebted for security from pestilence and other national calamities. Apart from the other national blessings, each individual among us has occasion to thoughtfully recall and devoutly recognize the favors and protection which he has enjoyed.

Now, therefore, I, Ulysses S. Grant, President of the United States, do recommend that on

THURSDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, the people of the United States, from their accustomed vocations, do assemble in their respective places of worship, and in such form as may seem most appropriate in their own hearts, offer to Almighty God their acknowledgments and thanks for all His mercies, and their humble prayers for the continuance of His divine favor. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington, this 27th day of October, in the year of our Lord 1875, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundredth.

(Signed) U. S. GRANT, President.
HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

WIND WORK.

Graphic Account of the Cyclone in Woodford County.

From the Minonk *Times* of Friday we take the following account of the great tornado in Woodford county:

Last Friday afternoon a terrible tornado swept past the city of Minonk, accompanied by a terrific storm of thunder, lightning, rain and hail. As near as can be ascertained it commenced mowing its deadly and destructive swath near the city of Washington, Tazewell county, and ended near Rutland. It varied in width from four to twenty rods. From ten to fifteen houses have been as it were blotted out of existence, and worst of all, several persons lost their lives, while others are horribly wounded, in Woodford county alone.

The *Times* reporter first visited the late residence of Fred. May, owned by Sarah Knowls, a mile and a half from Minonk. Exactly four weeks before the disaster Mr. May buried his wife. The house was 16x24, on a solid brick foundation, built up from the bottom of the cellar. The house was lifted up bodily and came down about two rods from the starting point, striking on one corner and going into a thousand pieces. The tuft of wind in this instance came from the southwest. Strange to relate, out of the seven persons in the structure, not one of them sustained serious injuries. *Pieces of the wagon* were found half a mile from the wreck. An old lantern was demolished, all except the globe, which was sound as a dollar. The furniture, out-buildings, &c., are missing, trees uprooted and everything ruined.—The track of the fiend at this point was about four rods wide. John Cortsen was about the last victim selected by the *monster before taking* an *upward flight*. He lived about a half mile from May's. He was in the house when the tornado licked it up, with his wife and babe and a small child belonging to his brother-in-law. The child was in a cradle and was picked up 40 yards from the starting point. The cradle was picked up by this terrible sneeze of the wind, picked to pieces, and has not yet been returned. John was at work with a crowd of neighbors trying to gather up about 20 tons of hay. Timbers 10x20 were broken like so many straws. The house came down about five rods from the foundation, and then went out on the beautiful prairie, shelling corn. John says 've think ve vas all been vent dead.' His two horses were killed and the terrible monster stole his wagon and broke it into kindling wood. Five unborn kittens were blown out of a cat. Had the tornado continued in a straight course it would have struck the coal-shaft, and, perhaps, turned the whole business inside out. B. Uphoff's house was 16x24, double sheeted. It was demolished, while another building two rods from it was not disturbed. He is about the luckiest sufferer of any we visited, having one-half of the running *gear to a wagon left*. He also found a feather bed on the prairie, and this visitation from God dropped what appeared to be the remnants of a church or school house in the meadow, about thirty rods from the other wreck. The lumber is painted blue. The family were not at home, and missed their share of the tumbling around. Widow Dufrese and her daughter were found under a pile of debris by some neighbors, who saw the building leave the country. It is thought the former cannot recover, while the daughter is badly wounded. As at the other places scarcely a remnant of anything usual to the inside of a house can be found. Widow Stimbert, in the vicinity of Benson, lost a large new house, or at least it has not been heard from up to date. Her son Ben. sent six of the family down stairs, while he and the younger brother remained aloft to make scientific observations. Ben. landed on his head in the cellar; the boy's hand was caught by the door closing against it, and he was found thirty rods out in the lot hugging the cylinder to a corn-sheller. The dog and two horses were killed, another horse's leg was broken. Twenty hogs bit the dust. The scene at this point beggars description. Her loss will *foot up about four thousand* dollars. George Leonard, residing in Lynn township, will probably lose three children. Old Mr. Schneider was found 100 yards from his house dead; and his wife near by not much better off. Bob Seward's threshing machine weighed two tons, but it went with the hurry.—Long John McChesney says he thought he could run, but when they were trying to get out of the way of the tornado Bob, beat him two to one. Part of the machine was found 9 miles from where it was *captured.*

From the El Paso *Journal* we take the following incidents of the terrific storm:

It struck the widow Stimbert's house and demolished it utterly, seriously injuring her son. Four wagons were *standing* out in the yard; they were nearly new. The tornado carried them up in the air, beat them together, dashed out the spokes of the wheels, utterly annihilated the boxes, and in one or two cases broke the hubs and the axletrees, and dropped the tires, and, in short, smashed them up into bits and pieces.—The remains were taken to Minonk and examined by hundreds on Monday. Two horses were taken up in the air and thrown down from a great height, so that they made holes in the ground almost *deep enough to bury them.* All the hogs were taken up the same way and killed. The fowls, with one exception, were all carried off, and nothing has been seen or heard of them since

Bob. Seward had a horse power and separator. The horse power weighed two tons and was staked to the ground. It was carried several rods. The separator was blown away entirely, and all that has been found is the cylinder. The devastating storm then seemed to center in Linn township and then stand still for a moment, and then with great roaring and violent commotion above, the tornado slowly and reluctantly drew itself up into a thick black cloud, and in a moment after torrents of rain descended and it passed away. The country as far as Streator, in the direct line of the storm, is strown with pieces of board, shingles, straw, and other debris. The damage done must be at least fifty thousand dollars.

THE LATE ELECTIONS.

Views of Senator Morton—The Outlook for the Canvass of 1876—Governor Hendricks and Senator McDonald.

Indianapolis Journal.

A reporter of the *Journal* called upon Senator Morton yesterday for the purpose of ascertaining his views concerning the result of the recent State elections. The Senator expressed the opinion that this action of the people showed that they had become alarmed at the prospect of the government passing into the hands of the Democracy, and that they had clearly indicated their unwillingness to aid in any such result. He also declared his belief that a majority in each Southern State was opposed to the Democracy, but the system of intimidation which prevailed there had prevented the expression of their political preferences. This, he thought, was shown in the result of the Mississippi election.

Concerning the contest next year he said:

"I entertain but little apprehension about the result of the next Presidential election. The Democratic party is under the control of the old anti-war politicians, who sympathized with the rebellion, and although these men are trying to talk loyalty, yet the people have not forgotten their record, and will not trust them: and I believe that the Union soldiers and the people of the North who took an active part in putting down the rebellion, will be better united against the Democracy than they have been since 1866. The presence of between eighty and ninety Confederate officers in the next Congress is a fact, the significance of which is not to be mistaken. The recent demonstrations throughout the South in favor of Jeff. Davis and the heroes and principles of the rebellion have not escaped the attention and consideration of the people of the North. In short, I am satisfied that the people of the United States are not prepared to trust the administration of the government, its finances, its honor, and its prosperity in the hands of its late enemies, who have for twenty years shown their incapacity for everything but crimes and blunders. I know some of these gentlemen now talk very nicely. An Indiana politician, the other day, at Philadelphia, bragged that Indiana had sent 200,000 men into the army, and the same man said during the war that he wouldn't go into the army himself, or ask anybody else to do so. These gentlemen will find that the people have long memories.

"I believe that the business of the country will revive, that confidence is returning. Business men of the country have but little faith in the ability, or integrity of the Democratic party, in their management of financial or economic questions, and the prospect of the continued ascendency of the Republican party is of itself an element of returning hope and confidence. Whatever diversity of opinion there may have been in the Republican party as to measures there is none as to its purpose to maintain the public faith, and to execute the pledges and promises which have been made by the government in a time of war and public necessity."

An effort was also made to obtain the views of Governor Hendricks, but the characteristic caution of that statesman prevented such an expression as would throw much light upon his convictions. Failing here, the reporter sought Senator McDonald, but he was absent from the city.

This morning quite a crowd assembled on the corner of Washington and Center streets to see the working of Mueller's water and gas main tapper. The machine works to perfection, an inch hole being bored through a main five eighths of an inch thick, in just three minutes. The work was all done including the cutting of a thread in the hole and inserting a stop cock, in less than eleven minutes, and not more than a quart of water was spilled. Mr. Mueller, the patentee, from Decatur, operated the machine. The invention is very important to those having occasion to tap water or gas mains.—*Bloomington Leader.*

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

Grant on the Elections.

Ludington's Majority in Wisconsin, 850.

Loeder's Case Again Before the Courts.

Beecher to be Again "Investigated."

Indictment of More Distillers.

Murder Trial at Urbana

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Nov. 6.—In the case of the People vs. The Chicago and Alton Railroad Company, the court having yesterday overruled the demurrer of the defendant to the amended declaration, counsel this morning asked for a continuance. The motion was based on the ground that the defendant could not safely proceed to trial, in consequence of the amendments made *to the declaration.* If given time they could prove, by three persons named, that at the date mentioned in the declaration, the 15th of July 1874, there were three railroads in the state, towit: The Union Stock Yard and Transit; the Sycamore and Courtland, and the Carondelet and East St. Louis, and for which schedules had not been made and published by the Commissioners as required by law and notwithstanding it was alleged in the declaration that the schedules had been made and published for each of the railroads in the state. The motion was argued by Messrs. Edwards and Beckwith, for the defendants, and Messrs. Palmer and Springer for the people. The court held that the facts proposed to be proven by the absent witnesses were material, and unless the people would admit that the witnesses in question would testify as alleged, and admit that fact as evidence in the case, the court would grant the continuance. This the people were not prepared to do, and the case was continued generally. The next term of court will be held in February, but as that term is a short one, it is quite probable that the case will not be heard until the May term.

URBANA, ILL., Nov. 6.—A prisoner under the name of George W. Williams who hired a team of Mr. Jefferson of Champaign, and drove them to within twenty miles of Cincinnati in four days, was sentenced today to states prison for three years, by Judge C. B. Smith. Williams managed his own case. "Williams" is a false name. He refuses to give his right name. He says that his father and one brother are physicians, and another brother is a lawyer. He has a wife also, but he is resolved that none of them shall know his whereabouts. His greatest trouble is to account to his wife for his absence when in the future he may reach home.

The trial of Dennis Richard Brown, the tramp, who shot and killed an alderman in Champaign a few months since, with a target gun, is creating a great interest here. He claims that it was wholly accidental, and many believe it. It will be a close contest for a life. He denies that he was known in Chicago as "Red Ryan." He appeared here as a common tramp, begged beer in Alderman Lang's saloon, got in to a scuffle and Lang ordered him out, which he appeared to resent somewhat. Later in the day he was target shooting by the side of the saloon. Lang came out and was talking with some men. Brown, who had used some expressions to his comrades indicating that he felt like shooting somebody, either purposely or accidentally fired on Lang and killed him. The dying man said that Brown pointed the gun at him and intended to kill him. Many think him innocent. The arguments of counsel may consume the whole day. The evidence has shown that target shooting by the side of streets is very dangerous.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6—Col. E. R. Chapman, head of the stamp bureau, arrived here to-day, to assist in the whisky cases which will be tried during the next term of the United States court. Col. Chapman states that the government already possesses more testimony than is necessary to produce, especially in cases where parties have pleaded guilty. It is stated that overtures have been made on behalf of guilty parties of offering to surrender all they possess, on condition that the government will not press the criminal part of the proceedings. The government has promptly refused to consider them.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The following are named as the committee charged with the duty, according to the resolution passed by the Congregational Association of Ministers, of thoroughly investigating the charges against the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, and reporting to the Congregational Association their advice as to his fitness as a fellow-member: Rev. Wm. Taylor, of the Broadway Tabernacle, New York; Rev. Dr. Wm. Ives Budington, of the Clinton Avenue Church, Brooklyn; Rev. Professors Parsons and Martin, of the New York Theological Seminary, and Rev. Charles H. Everest, of the Church of the Puritans, Brooklyn. The investigation will be thorough, and will begin with a careful scrutiny of the evidence made public in and out of the Tilton-Beecher scandal trial, than new evidence will be sought. The meetings of the committee will be in private, but the verdict will be published.

NEW YORK, November 6.—The case of Joseph Loeder, who was indicted for perjury in connection with the Beecher scandal suit, come before Judge Morris to-day, in the Brooklyn Court of Sessions. Loeder's counsel made a motion for an order that a commission be appointed to go to Mont Clair, N. J., and take the testimony, under oath, of Joseph H. Richards and his wife, to be used on the trial. Counsel said that the affidavit of the defendant showed that this was necessary. The motion was opposed by the District Attorney, and, after a short argument, the Judge took the papers, reserving his decision. The Court denied the motion recently made to quash the indictment against Loeder.

Plymouth Church has referred to a committee the charge of adultery made by Mrs. Moulton against her late pastor, the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher.

The *Sun* says: "It is not pleasant to hear that Moody and Sankey have got out an injunction to prevent another party from printing and circulating their hymns. The joining of the business of selling hymn books to that of saving souls, is not seemly."

CHICAGO, Nov. 6,—The United States grand jury, yesterday, found indictments against a large number of whiskey distillers, guagers and rectifiers in this city for irregularities in their business. Considerable number of those indicted appeared today and gave bonds to ammounts from $5,000 to $15,000. Neither the number or the names of the indicted parties have been made known, but it is believed there are from fifty to seventy-five of them, and that the most prominent firms in the city are involved.

DENVER, COL., Nov. 6.–The official count of the October election for members of the Territorial Legislature shows that the Republicans will have four and the Democrats nine members of the Council, and that the Republicans will have 16 and the Democrats 10 members of the House.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—One hundred guns were fired by the Republicans, in honor of the political victory of Tuesday last. A procession was formed and marched to the Executive Mansion, where the people serenaded the President, who acknowledged the compliment as follows:

"GENTLEMEN: I am very glad to meet you on this occasion, and to congratulate you on so good a cause for rejoicing to the entire country over the elections of last Tuesday. While the Republican majorities were not great, they were sufficient to accomplish the purpose. The 'ragbaby' has been entirely suppressed and the people now know what kind of money they are to have in the future, and I think that we have the assurance that the Republicans will control this government at least four years longer."

Three cheers were then given for the President, three cheers for Hard Money and three cheers for the President's school policy.

The procession marched to the residence of the Secetary of the Navy, and it was there announced that Mrs. Robeson returned thanks for the serenade to the Secetary, who was absent from the city.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 6.—There was a flurry of excitement here to-day on account of the report that Taylor (Democrat) is elected Governor, but the report proved unfounded. Ludington's majority cannot be varied much from 800.

TOPEKA, KAN., Nov. 6.—The *Commonwealth* has the returns from ninety-six Representative districts, with six to hear from. Of these seventy-nine are Republicans, six Democrats and eleven Reformers.

PARIS, Nov. 7.—The members of the Franco-American Union, in Paris, gave a grand banquet at the hotel De Louvre, last evening, two hundred guests being present, among whom were distinguished personages from Europe and America. The first toast was proposed by Henri Martin, and was, "The President of the United States, the man who worthily occupies the post of Chief Magistrate of America."

Minister Washburne responded in a lengthy speech, in which he alluded to the cordial friendship existing between France and America. He concluded by proposing the health of "Marshal McMahon, President of the French Republic; a brave soldier and an honest man, who, in his civil career, has shown the highest and most successful statesmanship." Mr. Washburne promised the hearty co-operation of America in the project started by French citizens of erecting a monument in New York harbor in commemoration of the hundredth anniversary of the independence of the United States.

M. Laboulaye, in a somewhat lengthy speech, retraced the history of Franklin and Lafayette, and said that on the next Fourth of July America would see a fresh alliance with France. He concluded by proposing a toast, "The eternal friendship of Faance and America."

Col. Forney followed in an eloquent speech, after which the company separated. The decorations were magnificent and the greatest enthusiasm was manifested throughout.

A Large Lot of Prints and Domestics offered very low at S. Einstein's.
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A BILL against Polk county, Iowa, for the victualing of a pauper under its care, seems to prove that the poor folks of Iowa are in more danger of gout than starvation. It is a little queer to find this unlucky beggar charged with seventy-five cents for sugar, lemons and oysters, on August 6, and with a still larger amount a few days later for tomatoes, blackberries and oysters. It is evident that Polk county did not give its paupers enough oysters. If it had, the bivalves would not have been charged as an extraordinary item.

THE official canvass in Iowa shows a majority of 31,745 for Kirkwood, the Republican candidate for Governor. The majority for Young, the Republican candidate for Secretary of State in 1874. was 28,183, and for Carpenter for Governor in 1873, 22,558.

Just Received,—A new lot of wax flower materials, from first hands, very cheap, for sale by Theo. Hildebrandt.
Nov. 4-d1m

New Advertisements.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

TAKEN UP BY E. C. BUCK, AT HIS residence in the town of Friends Creek, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 2th day of October, A. D. 1875, an ESTRAY MULE, described as follows, to-wit: One brown mare mule, with white nose, white or light colored legs to the knees, and black from that down; no other marks or brands visible; about 10 hands high, and supposed to be one year old past last spring. Appraised at $60.
H. W. WAGGONER,
Nov. 6, 1875—d1 w3t County Clerk.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY. }
In the Circuit Court—December Term, A. D. 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A certain suit is now pending and undetermined, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, on the chancery side of said court, wherein William Bills is plaintiff, and Mary E. Smelsley, John George Smelsley, B. W. Coopman, Philip Vogel, William W. Mason, Alfred Culp, Amos S. Corson, John C. Olmstead, S. W. Baldwin and John W. Baldwin, Enoch W. Moore, Ira N. Barnes, James Millikin and Jerome R. Gorin, John Hamsher, Orlando Powers, H. H. Herndinger, the Decatur Gaslight & Coke Company, Joseph R. Mosser, Barnett K. Hamsher, Abraham Kramer, Joseph E. McClelland and Silas B. McClelland, Samuel M. Brewer, A. Wegner, Charles Stelvish Richard Nowell and William L. Hammer, and William R. Phipps, Daniel O. Connell and Geo. A. Middleton and Charles A. Carter are defendants, and that summons has been issued in said cause, returnable at the Court House in Decatur, in the county of Macon, State of Illinois, on the

First Monday in December, A. D. 1875,

and that unless you, the said defendants, and each of you, then and there appear and plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill, the same, and the matters and things therein alleged will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered according to the prayer of said bill.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
Decatur, Oct. 21st, 1875. [21-w6w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION TO me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Martin P. Murphey and against John W. Barton and Robert Timmons, I have levied on the several following described lots or parcels of land, all being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot five (5), in the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty-three (33), in township fifteen (15) north, and range two (2) east of the third principal meridian;

Also a strip of land six (6) feet wide, front and rear, commencing eighteen (18) feet from the north side of lot five (5), in block thirteen (13), in railroad addition to Macon, and running back to the alley;

And six (6) feet off the north side of lot four (4), and eleven (11) feet off the south side of lot five (5), all being in block thirteen (13), in Railroad Addition to the town of Macon;

And fourteen (14) feet off the north side of the south half of lot five (5), in block thirteen (13), and a strip one (1) foot wide off the south side of the north half of lot five (5), in same block, all being in Railroad Addition to the town of Macon;

And lots nine (9) and ten (10), in block nine (9), as described in the recorded plat of the town of Macon;

And the piece of land lying in Railroad Addition to the town of Macon, and particularly described in the recorded plat of said town as the north half of lot three (3), in block thirteen (13), all taken as property of the said Robert Timmons, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 13th day of November, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 26th day of October A. D. 1875.
ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
Oct. 4 w3t Sheriff Macon County.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }
Macon County Circuit Court.

In the matter of Reuben H. Meriweather vs. Samuel G. Malone and Peter W. Taylor
ON BILL TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, in said court, at the May term thereof, A. D. 1875, I, J. A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court,

On Saturday, the 13th day of November, A. D. 1875, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court-house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

The east half of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-eight (28), in township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the 3rd principal meridian, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption. J. A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon Co., Ill.
DECATUR, Oct. 13th, A. D. 1875—w3w

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Macon County Circuit Court to the December Term, A. D. 1875.

IRA HARRIS, JR., vs. JAS. H. FERGUSON
BILL TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE.

AFFIDAVIT that James H. Ferguson defendant, above-named,—has gone out of the State of Illinois,—having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James H. Ferguson, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1875, as is required by law.

Now, unless you, the said James H. Ferguson, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1875,

and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
W. C. JOHNS, Solicitor for Compl't,
Decatur, Oct. 23, 1875—d1w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION TO me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Moultrie county, Illinois, in favor of Elijah Dennis and against Alfred Dennis, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit:

Seventy-six (76) feet front of the west side of lot two (2), in William Martin's Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, running one hundred and seventy-seven (177) feet back from Wood street.

Taken as property of the said Alfred Dennis, which I shall offer at public sale, at the west door of the Court-house, in Macon county, in said state, on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1875, at the hour of one o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 29th day of October, A. D. 1875.
ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
Oct. 28-d3w Sheriff Macon county.

H. MUELLER & CO.,

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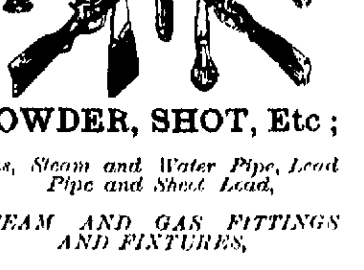

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Anti-Freezing Cistern, Deep Well, and Force Pumps put up, and warranted.
Decatur, Oct. 30, 1875—d1y

CHANCERY NOTICE.

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EDMISTON McCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill.
NELSON & ROBY, Solicitors for Compl't.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 18, 1875. [18-d6w

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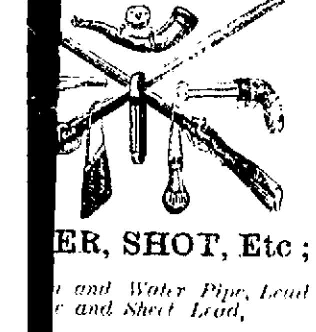

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The subject was illustrated in a pertinent manner, and the address of the speaker was pleasant. The audience gave close attention, and was evidently well pleased with the discourse.

Attention, Eldorado Hose Co. No. 2.—Regular monthly meeting this (Monday) evening. A full attendance is requested for practice before the business of the meeting, at six o'clock, sharp.

By order of FOREMAN.

Religious Notice—There will be preaching this evening in the lecture room of the First M. E. Church, by Rev. Mr. Best, of Stapp's Chapel. We understand that a series of meetings will be held in the above-named room this week, and a cordial invitation is extended to the public. To-morrow evening Rev. Mr. Inman, who occupied the Baptist pulpit yesterday, will preach.

A Novel Theft.—Some time yesterday forenoon Mr. Isaac Shellabarger harnessed his team to take his family and a daughter visiting at his house with her child into the country. Just before stepping into the carriage they set a basket containing some children's clothing upon the sidewalk, and when they started away the basket was forgotten. They had not driven far before the basket was missed, and they returned for it, but while they were gone some one had taken the basket and its contents and made off with it. No trace of the missing goods has been obtained at this writing.

If you want to save money buy your dry goods of S. Einstein. 4d6

For Sale.—@ 65-100 acres, one and one half miles *northwest* of the city. Improvements: One and a half story frame house of 5 rooms, good well and cistern, and 75 bearing apple trees; cheap, and on favorable terms. Apply to

WARREN & DURFEE.

300 acres, all under fence—250 acres plow land, balance timber, with living water; two-story house, 7 rooms; new barn, 36 by 40, and other first-class improvements. A splendid stock farm, at the low price of $45 per acre.

160 acre farm in Wheatland township, all under cultivation, all dry land, cheap at $40 per acre.

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

The **"Revolution"** soft coal base-burner has fully established its claim as one of the most desirable heating stoves in the market. This wonderful stove is so arranged that fire may be kept in it for an indefinite length of time—thus saving the trouble of re-kindling every morning. R. C. Crocker has the sale of it, and its workings will be fully explained to any who may call.

Valuable Team Stolen.—Last evening as Dock Maffitt's fine team was standing hitched in front of a dwelling on West Prairie street, some person or persons took possession of it and drove away. As soon as the team was missed Marshal Haworth was notified, and he and his force kept a sharp look-out all night, and the country about Decatur is being thoroughly scoured to-day, but at this writing nothing has been heard of the missing team. The turn-out was a valuable one, and if not recovered will be a heavy loss to the owner.

LATER.—About 10 o'clock this forenoon word came to Marshal Haworth that a buggy and harness were in the timber not far from the residence of Dr. Johns; whereupon the officer with Mr. Maffitt went to the locality indicated, where they found the buggy, harness, robes and whip, all intact. Upon further inquiry they found that Dr. Johns' son had seen the horses at large in the grove, and knowing whose they were had put them in the stable for safe keeping. The horses showed no signs of having been driven hard, and the probability is that some mischievous person, who noticed the team standing on Prairie street, and knowing whose it was, drove it away for the purpose of playing a little trick upon Mr. Maffitt—If such was the case, the game was a dangerous one, as the parties were liable to be caught with the team in their possession, in which case it might have been somewhat difficult to make a court believe it was all in fun.

Valise Stolen.—On Saturday as Rev. Mr. Inman, who supplied the pulpit at the Baptist church yesterday, was on his way here, his valise, containing his clothing and manuscripts, was stolen from him. At Evansville, Ind., while the cars were stopping, he stepped to the stove for a few minutes to warm, leaving his valise in the seat he had occupied. He was not away from his seat more than five minutes, and upon his return to it the valise was gone. As the cars were already under way, he had no time to step off to look for it, so all he could do was to give a description of the valise to the conductor, who telegraphed back from the next station to have the police at Evansville put on track of the missing property. The chances for its recovery are, to say the best of it, very slight.

STABLE AND SHOP BURNED.

On Saturday night, about twelve o'clock, a gentleman who had just come in on the train, in passing westward on West Cerro Gordo street, discovered fire in the stable of Mr. Shatzer, which he also uses as a carpenter shop. He at once gave the alarm, and commenced to clear the stable of its contents. There was in the building a lot of lumber, most of which was in process of manufacture, among it being lumber for the seats of a new church at Moaweaqua, which were mostly ready to be shipped to their destination. But very little of this was removed, and three sets of carpenter's tools were also consumed.

The loss to Mr. Shatzer and his partner cannot be less than $500.

Besides the loss in property Mr. S. met with quite a serious accident. In attempting to remove the contents of the burning building he fell and dislocated his ankle joint, also fracturing a small bone of his leg.

The fire companies were promptly on hand, but the building burned so rapidly that it was past saving before their arrival, so that the most they could do was to extinguish the fire and prevent its spread to other buildings.

First M. E. Church.—"Abominations" constituted the theme of Rev. Horace Reed's sermon last evening at the First M. E. Church. The things made most prominent were dissipating amusements, love of scandal and drunkenness. The speaker represented each of these evils as being nurtured in society by a vast majority, and abominated by but few. The positions taken with reference to the matters treated upon were very positive, and the views of the speaker were presented with much earnestness and feeling. The congregation was large and attentive.

Arrested.—The man, Patterson, who was somewhat prominent last fall, on account of alleged improper relations between himself and the late Mrs. Hickman, was yesterday arrested in this city on a charge of bigamy—the warrant alleging that he lived with Mrs. H. as his wife while he had a lawful wife living. He was this morning taken before Justice Albert for a hearing, where the case was postponed to the 20th inst.—The court required Patterson to give bail in the sum of five hundred dollars, which he promptly furnished and was set at liberty.

GRAND OPENING
—OF—
WINTER MILLINERY.
At No. 18 Merchant st.,
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, NOV. 12 AND 13,
By Misses Falconer & Hurd.

Miss Falconer has formerly been in the millinery business at No. 8 Merchant street, up stairs, and removes her stock to the commodious store as above.
8-d5d

A Sharp Trick.—This morning, soon after opening time, a stranger stepped into the clothing store of B. Stine, in central block, and asked to look at a suit of clothes, which he said he wished to purchase. He was shown a suit the price of which was twenty dollars.—He thought the goods would suit him, and stepped into a small room in the rear end of the store, to which he was shown by the clerk, for the purpose of trying them on. While the stranger was in the side room adjusting his new suit, the attention of the clerk was called to the front part of the store by the entrance of another customer. After waiting upon the new comer he stepped back to the rear end of the store, and thinking it was time for the fellow in the small room to come out, he stepped to the door and found the room empty. While the clerk was busy waiting upon the other customer the fellow had managed to open a door, leading from the room where he was, out upon the sidewalk, and had made his escape with the goods. The police were at once notified, and were on the alert, but so far the thief is safe with his plunder, and is rejoicing in the possession of a nice, new suit of clothes, without any money out.

Dead.—We learn from Prof. Gastman that Miss Lizzie Roe, daughter of Mr. E. S. Roe, formerly of this city, now of Prairie Home, Shelby county, died yesterday of typhoid fever, at her father's residence, as above. A sister of Miss Roe is a teacher in the second ward school, and Miss Lizzie will be remembered by many of her former associates in this city.

Linn & Scruggs have just received all numbers of Madame Foy's skirt supporting corset, Mrs. S. A. Moody's abdominal corset, and the Jacqueline corset. Also, a complete assortment of Hip-gore and French corsets, of superior makes, and at *the lowest price.*
21-d&wtf

Wake Up! to the fact that L. L. Ferriss has the most *complete* facilities for suiting you in every whim in the boot and shoe line. All the goods the store will hold. Boots and shoes to measure—*to suit your feet.* The best stock of boots and shoes west of Longitude 74. Sept. 59-dtf

For Sale. -A two-story brick house, situated on the corner of Franklin and Eldorado streets, directly west from Stapp's Chapel. Said house is on a lot 80x150 feet, and has a good well and cistern, with gas fixtures, and all modern conveniences; also a good stable.

For further information apply at the office of the Decatur Woolen Mill.
17-dtf

Call at Linn & Scruggs' for Ribbons and Hamburg Edging 21-dawtf

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. H. Gardiner and family left this morning by the early train for San Jose, California, where they propose to make their future home.

Linn & Scruggs have the best and cheapest black silks and black alpacas in the city. [oct 7-d&wtf

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

200 Second-hand Stoves, for sale cheap, at Ashby's, opera block. dtf

Children's Clothing, just received today by express, all sizes, from three years old and upwards, in large varieties, at B. STINE'S.

The above goods are warranted to fit, and in workmanship cannot be excelled.
oct. 23-dtf

Room with Power to Rent.—Parties wishing to rent a room, 24x50, with steam power, for manufacturing purposes, will find a good opportunity by applying soon. Also, a good second hand small engine, in excellent running order, for sale cheap, at
oct 23-dtf H. MUELLER & Co's.

S. Einstein is selling goods exceedingly low, which makes him do a rushing business. 4-d6

THIRD VISIT.

No Cure, No Pay!

PROF. S. CLAY TODD, M. D., the noted Specialist, of Fort Wayne, Ind., can be consulted free of charge at the St. Nicholas Hotel, Decatur, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, November 8, 9 and 10. His wonderful success in the cure of Catarrh, Consumption, Rheumatism, Deafness, Noises in the Head, Scrofula, Old Sores, White Swellings, Seminal Emissions, Nervous Debility, Dyspepsia, Spine, Kidney and Liver Complaints, all Female Complaints, Deformities of Children, Hip-joint Disease, Heart Disease and all Chronic Diseases, is well known in this city. He makes no charge for his services as physician until six months after a cure is effected.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.—Consultations free. 5-dtf

FOR SALE!

Six acres of land, adjoining the city on the northeast. It is well adapted for gardening purposes, being in a high state of cultivation; it has 75 fine bearing cherry trees, and is surrounded by a good four-year old hedge. Price low and terms easy. For particulars inquire of A. A. MURRAY.
Oct. 20-d1m

Everything that is new and desirable in Pompadours, Panniers and Bustles, at Linn & Scruggs'.
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It is a favorite saying of the Democratic orators in Mississippi and elsewhere in the South, that "in New-York city alone, more murders are committed, year by year, than in the whole South." Softly. In Mississippi alone more than two thousand murders, irrespective of the bloody massacres at Meridian, Vicksburg, Clinton, and Yazoo City, have been perpetrated since 1865. In nine-tenths of all these cases white men were the murderers. And how many executions have occurred? Only nine, and of these only two were white men. Where convictions in murder cases have occurred nine-tenths of the convictions have been those of colored men, of whom more than sixty are in the penitentiary for life. It is very difficult to convict a white man for the murder of a white man in the South and practibly impossible to convict one for murdering a negro. Murder in the South is a personal, not a legal matter. As a rule, grand juries are unwilling or afraid to find indictments against a white man for murder, and petit juries equally unwilling or afraid to convict. This is partly owing to the low standard of morals and civilization which prevails there, and partly to the lingering influence of the dueling code which made murder honorable, and conferred special distinction on him who had killed his man.

THE *Macoupin Enquirer* thinks that there "is a fair prospect that the Democracy will let the currency question alone in the next campaign."—Quite likely. It has succeeded in making a botch of it, just as it has with everything else it has attempted in the last twenty years. But what will it do in the next campaign? The crow business is played out; the "honest farmer dodge" is thoroughly exposed, and the currency issue has struck bottom. The best thing the Democratic party can do is to take the advice of the Chicago *Times,* and bury itself. It has already been above ground until the stench has become unendurable. If it stays out of the ground much longer, even the Pope won't allow it to be buried in consecrated ground.—*Bloomington Leader.*

THE fall trade in this city this season is a vast improvement over that of a year ago. Retail merchants report that their sales thus far this fall have been from 25 to 40 per cent. larger than those last fall, and the wholesale trade reports even a better showing. The general feeling is one of encouragement. "If," says one of our leading merchants, "if the politicians and kite-flyers would only let the currency question rest, and if those real estate speculators who are down at the heels, and can't hope to recover for years to come, would turn their attention to other business, seek to make an honest living, and stop croaking, we would very soon have good times again." His opinion is worth serious thought.—*Chicago Jour.*

Genuine Seal Skin Furs, in muffs, boas and sacques; also Mink Furs, in great variety and cheap, at
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V. Barber & Co. have just placed upon their shelves a fresh invoice of boots and shoes, embracing all kinds and sizes, in the very latest fall styles. They are determined not to be outdone in the completeness of their stock, or undersold in price, or which facts they will give a practical demonstration to everybody who will examine their goods.

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DECATUR, November 8, 1875.

RETAIL.

Lard, per pound	17
Ham " "	17
Shoulder "	12½
Pears, per box	1.50a1.75
Squashes, apiece	5a20
Green apples, per peck	40
New Potatoes per peck	10
Onions, per peck	30
Beets, per peck	15
Turnips, per peck	25
Chickens, per dozen	2.50a3.00
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	40
New Cabbage, per head	5@15
Cider, per gallon	60
Vinegar, " "	40
Eggs, " dozen	25
Butter packed, per pound	30
" fresh,	30
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	4.25
" red " "	40,0
" superfine, "	2.75
" middlings, "	1.60
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel	90
RYE—₩ bushel	90
CORN—₩ bushel	45a50
" shelled, per bush	50
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton	12,00
OATS—₩ bushel	35

WHOLESALE.

WHEAT—Best white, per bushel,	$130
" " red, " "	1.30
CORN—per bushel	45
OATS— " "	28a30
BUTTER—₩ lb	25
EGGS—per doz.	20
LARD—₩ lb	13½
BACON—Sides	13½
HAMS—sugar-cured	11@15
SHOULDERS—per lb	8@10½
HOGS—Live, per hundred	6.50@7.00
CATTLE— " "	4.50@6.50
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	5.00
" " " sheared	3.50
NEW POTATOES—per bu.	25
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	9
APPLES— " "	8
" Green ₩ bu	1.25
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	25@27
" " combing	25@30
" Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ₩ lb	6
" Salted cured,	6@6½
" Calf,	10
" Dry salt,	10
" Dry Flint,	12
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
SHEARLING PELTS	15
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ lb	50@55
" Common, ₩ lb	35@40
TALLOW—Cake	7

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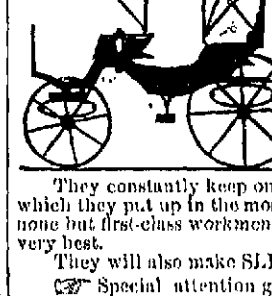

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Some eight months ago Mr. Lintner's health began to fail in consequence of bilious derangement, and he gradually and steadily grew worse, until his recovery was entirely despaired of by his friends and many able physicians. At their suggestion, some three months ago, in company with his son, he went to New York and put himself under treatment at the best medical institution to be found, bringing to his aid all that money and science could command, but instead of encouragement, after three weeks' careful study of his case, Dr. Foster (Clifton Springs, N. Y.) told him his liver was almost entirely hardened and that his case was utterly hopeless, that no medicine could do him any good, and he advised him to return to his friends, arrange his business affairs, take no medicine, and live as comfortably as possible so long as he might, which could not be long. He was brought home, given up by *all* as beyond human aid. He laid in a gradually sinking condition, vomiting daily, and looking more like a corpse than a living man, when a friend whose wife had received great benefit from it, requested him to try *Malarion*, which he did, and he began to improve within a few hours after taking the first dose. His vomiting gradually ceased, his bowels became regular, and he grew stronger and better for three weeks, when his friends, becoming hopeful of his recovery, had a consultation, and finding out what he was taking they took Malarion from him and prescribed other medicines, which he took for about a week, when his old symptoms came back upon him, vomiting again set in, and he was forced to return to the remedy which first gave him relief, and since then he has taken no other medicine than Malarion. He has taken less than two bottles, and is to day nearly a well man, with more youthful vigor and buoyancy, and promise of better health than he has had for years, and he says unhesitatingly, "MALARION HAS SAVED MY LIFE." SNYDER & GUE, General Agents for Malarion.

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DECATUR, ILL., Aug. 23, 1875—dawtf WM. LINTNER.

NOTICE
—OF—
Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Springfield, Decatur and Indianapolis Railway Company will be held at 10 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, the 6th DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1875,

at the office of the Company, in Tuscola, Douglas county, Illinois, in order to take action and vote upon a proposed consolidation of the stock, property and franchises of said railway company with the stock, property and franchises of the Indianapolis, Decatur & Springfield Railway Company, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before such meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,
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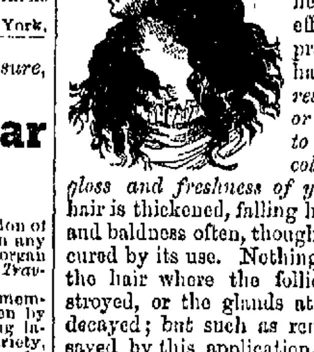

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, William T. Stamper and Ann M. Stamper, his wife, by their deed of trust, dated the first day of February, A. D. 1871, and recorded in the recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, in Book No. 38, page No. 510, conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described piece or parcel of land lying in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, and described as follows:

A part of lot eight (8), in block two (2), old town of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning nineteen and one-half (19½) feet north of the southeast corner of said lot eight (8), in block two (2), *aforesaid, and running thence* north nineteen and one-half (19½) feet; thence west seventy-six (76) feet; thence south nineteen and one-half (19½) feet, and thence east seventy-six (76) feet to the place of beginning, fronting nineteen and one-half (19½) feet on the public square, and running back seventy-six (76) feet, on which the three-story brick business house of said Stamper stands.

Which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of twenty-one certain promissory notes therein described;

And whereas, part of said notes are due and unpaid, whereby under the terms of said trust all of said notes become due and payable;

Wherefore, at the request of the holder of said notes, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, in pursuance of the terms of said trust deed, will, on

Friday, 20th day of November, A. D. 1875,

at the front door of the Court House, of Macon county, in Decatur, Illinois, proceed to sell the said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the amount unpaid, with interest and costs of this trust. CHAS. W. MATHENY, Trustee.

Decatur, Oct. 30th, 1875.
Nov. 4—w4w

ASSIGNEE'S SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, assignee in bankruptcy of Franklin Priest, bankrupt, will, on the 27th day of November, A. D. 1875, between the *hours of nine o'clock a. m., and four o'clock* p. m. of said day, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, *for cash in* hand, all the right, title and interest of the said Franklin Priest in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of lot nine (9) and lot ten (10), in block one (1), in Central Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur; also lots eight (8) and nine (9), in block six (6), in Smith & Co.'s Addition to Decatur; also lots two (2) and three (3), in Block "D," in the village of Oakley; also the north half of the east half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section eighteen (18), in township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian—all the above described real estate being *in the county of* Macon and State of Illinois. Also lot three (3), in block seven (7), in the town of Atlanta, in the county of Logan, in said State of Illinois. M. F. KANAN,

Oct. 26 d3w Assignee in Bankruptcy.

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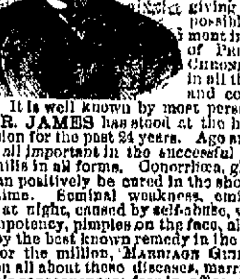

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court—December Term, A. D. 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a certain suit is now pending, and undetermined, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, on the chancery side of said court, wherein Melissa Sizeland and James Sizeland are complainants, and Jerome R. Gorin, Mary Conklin, Charles Conklin, Phebe Herrell, Uriah Herrell, Abram Dewees, Erasmus Dewees, William Dewees, Abram Dewees, Demaris Dewees and Phebe Dewees are defendants, and that summons has been issued in said cause, returnable at the Court House in Decatur, in the county of Macon, State of Illinois, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1875,

and that unless you, the said defendants, and each of you, then and there, appear, and plead, answer or demur to said complainants' bill, the same and the allegations therein will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered according to the prayer of said bill. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

ODOR & ELDRIDGE and T. LEE and E. PARK, Complainants' Solicitors.

Decatur, Oct. 26, 1875—dtd

CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO DANIEL Lefevre, Margaret Loucks, Samuel Loucks, Jonathan McGuigan, Elizabeth Kulsley, Barbara Fullerton, John H. McGuigan, George W. McGuigan and Peter McGuigan, that Charles S. Lewis, as complainant, has filed his bill of complaint against them, impleaded with Samuel L. Lefevre, Elizabeth Lloyd, Mary Rankin, Frances Orr, George W. Rankin, Esther J. Rankin, Ellen R. Hatch, John Rankin, and William A. Goodrich, administrator of the estate of George W. Lefevre, in the State of Illinois, defendants, in the Circuit Court of *Macon county, Illinois, in chancery, and* that summons has been issued thereon, returnable into said court, where said cause is now pending, on the first day of the next term thereof to be held at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, said county and State, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1875,

when and where, unless they, the said Daniel Lefevre, Margaret Loucks, Samuel Loucks, Jonathan McGuigan, Elizabeth Kulsley, Barbara Fullerton, John H. McGuigan, George W. McGuigan and Peter McGuigan shall appear, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed against them. EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk of Circuit Court of Macon county, Ill.

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